



PARTY PREPARATIONS . . . It's time again for their Yuletide cocktail party honoring their husbands and Delta Gamma Alumnae are busy with preparations. Shining the silver and crystal are from left, Mmes. Richard Waggoner

and Harry Carpenter as Mmes. Ernest Pierson and Vincent DiFore add candles to a Christmas arrangement. The party will be held Dec. 8 at the George Thompson home from 6 to 8 p.m.

Delta Gamma Yule Party For Husbands

South Bay Alumnae of Delta Gamma will entertain their husbands at a Yuletide cocktail party from 6 to 8 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 8, at the home of Mrs. George W. Thompson, 2531 Hermosa Ave., Hermosa Beach.

Mrs. Murray Helm, social chairman, has announced that all active and inactive alum-

nae in the area have been invited to attend.

Hostesses assisting Mrs. Thompson will include: Mmes. Murray Heim, Palos Verdes Estates; Keith Redner, Palos Verdes Estates; J. Hardy Nesbit, Hermosa Beach; Marvin Barger, Palos Verdes Estates; Carroll F. Edwards, Hermosa Beach; Harry Carpenter, Torrance; Vincent DiFore, Torrance; Craig Ruth, Miraleste; Peter Herdman, Portuguese Bend, and Richard Raich, Rolling Hills.

Reservations or information may be obtained by calling Mrs. Robert Fairbanks or Mrs. Donald Meek.

New Officers Are Elected By Council

St. Philomena Catholic Church Women's Council elected officers for the coming year at the Nov. 26 meeting of the council.

Mrs. Samuel Consalvo, chairman of the previously selected nominating committee, announced the following as newly-elected officers: Mmes. Mike Marincovich, president; James Donovan, first vice president; Richard Tracy, second vice president; John Scanlin, secretary; and Jack Ramey, treasurer. Mrs. Consalvo was assisted on the nominating committee by Mmes. Floyd Shaupe, Charles Bent Jr., and Leo Dube. A fifth member of the committee was Fr. Frederick Callahan, pastor of the parish.

The newly-elected officers will take office Jan. 1, 1963.

Presented by Concert Assn.

Greek Folk Arts Festival Dec. 4

Panhellenion, the festival of Greek Folk Arts, will perform on Tuesday, Dec. 4, at the San Pedro High School auditorium under the auspices of the San Pedro Community Concert Assn. Brought to this country for the first time by impresario Albert Morini, this colorful and exciting company is filling a sold-out three-month tour across the United States and Canada.

Eleni Tsaouli, founder, director and choreographer of Panhellenion, has especially arranged this production to give American audiences a panorama of Greek life and culture. Three thousand years of the glory that was Greece, spring vividly to life again in their songs, dances, and music. Miss Tsaouli has chosen 16 of the most talented and attractive dancers from her home company of more than 50 dancers. They will be accompanied by four virtuoso musicians playing a variety of strange native instruments.

In addition to the dancers and the four instrumentalists, will be an outstanding singer of demotic songs (songs of the people).

From an extraordinary repertory of several hundred genuine folk dances, both ancient and modern, Miss Tsaouli has selected a cross section to show the varied life and history of her people.

Panhellenion was founded nine years ago by Miss Tsaouli in order to preserve in their original forms the traditional dances discovered in her ceaseless searching throughout the land and to present them on stage so that Greeks and non-Greeks



PANHELLEION . . . Greek Artists

alike might enjoy the richness of their art. The group has performed at religious and national festivals in many regions of their own country, and also in Germany, Austria, Switzerland, Italy, France, Belgium, and the Netherlands.

Prior to the 8:15 p.m. curtain, Dr. Bernard Korn, association president, will head a contingent of members of the executive board who will welcome the concert-goers in the lobby of the auditorium. Community Concert membership cards must be presented at the door in order to gain admittance to the program.



CHRISTMAS BAZAAR . . . Members of the First Methodist Church Women's Society of Christian Service prepare for the organization's annual Christmas bazaar Friday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the church. Mrs. Lois Balsley, vice president, right, shows a display item to Mrs. Harlan McCool, left, spiritual life secretary, and Mrs. Roy Goree, bazaar chairman. Bazaar theme is "Ye Old Fashioned Christmas." (Herald Photo)

Christmas To Highlight WSCS Annual Yule Bazaar Next Friday

Torrance Chapter, American Field Service, will introduce Miss Vinciane Cressi of Brussels, Belgium, and Miss Aricelle Blanco of Bilbao, Spain, to an American Christmas at its meeting this evening at the YWCA.

Carol singing and stories of Christmas customs in their native lands by the exchange students will highlight the evening. Winners of pre-screening tests for the "American Abroad" program will be special guests. Some of these high school students will be chosen to spend the 1963 summer in Europe, South America or Asia.

Miss Susan Smith, Torrance High School, who spent the past summer in Aranda De Cueno, Spain, and Richard Parker, North High School, who was in Salonika, Greece, will show slides taken at their summer home.

All members and friends of the American Field Service are invited to attend the meeting.

Vancouver Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vroman, 3217 Carson St., had as their guests for a few days last week, old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hewitt of Vancouver, B.C.

Golden Wedding Bells Ring For G. W. Browns

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brown, 1626 Iris, who have seen Torrance grow from a population of 7,500 when they came here in 1923 to its present figure of over 100,000, were guests of honor at an open house on Sunday, Nov. 24, celebrating their Golden Wedding anniversary.

The party was given at the home of their daughter, Mrs. John Schmidt, 1554 W. 213th St. Co-hosts for the celebration were the couple's other children, Craig Brown of the home address, and Mrs. Bert Scott, 2300 W. 230th St., Torrance.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown were married Nov. 24, 1912, in Hardin, Mont., where Mr. Brown was a farmer. When they came to Torrance in 1923 he opened a shoe repair shop and operated it until 1940 when the family moved to North Hollywood. He was in the shoe repair business there until his retirement in 1958 when they moved back to Torrance.

The three Brown children attended Torrance elemen-

Invite Public To Attend

WSCS Annual Yule Bazaar Next Friday

"Ye Old Fashioned Christmas" has been chosen as the theme for the annual bazaar to be staged by the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church on Friday, Dec. 7.

The bazaar will be open

at 10 a.m. and continue until 6 p.m. Luncheon will be served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. by the Priscilla Circle and a turkey dinner, with all the trimmings, will be served from 5 to 7 p.m. by the Suzanne Circle.

Holiday shoppers are invited to visit the Country Store, Bakery Shop, Parcel Post booth, fish pond, Christmas shop and other booths featuring many handmade and sewn items, suitable for holiday giving.

There will also be a coffee shop for shoppers who need a "coffee break."

The public is invited to attend the bazaar, luncheon and dinner.

Attends Parents' Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McLaughlin and sons, John and Gary of 3334 Dalemead St., Torrance, returned this week from a trip to Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

Mrs. McLaughlin was hostess at the Golden Wedding anniversary celebration for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wright Alguire. Over 200 persons attended the open house.

Students Named To Sodality

Joan Bommarito, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benedict M. Bommarito, 3812 W. 121st St., Torrance, and Anne Marie Eagar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Eagar, 21129 Dalton Ave., Torrance, have been elected to the Sodality at Marymount College in Palos Verdes Estates.



CYNTHIA BEADLE . . . Accepis Ring (Crotty Photography)

Engagement Announced By Parents

At a family party on Thanksgiving Day, Mr. and Mrs. Sherrell E. Beadle 24122 Huber Ave., Lomita, announced the engagement of their daughter, Cynthia, to Fred W. Eggers.

The wedding will take place at the Torrance First Methodist Church on Feb. 2, 1963.

The bride-elect was graduated from Torrance High School in 1958 and attended El Camino College where she was president of the Gamma Phi Delta sorority. She is now a secretary at the Cor-Built Corp., Lawndale.

Her fiance, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed F. Eggers, Lynwood, will return to Cal Poly in Pomona next semester to complete his BS degree in engineering. He is employed as an electronic technician in the Missile Division, Autonetics, in Compton.

Both Miss Beadle and her future husband are attending evening classes at El Camino.

Yule Party Slated by SBE Group

Christmas music, ornaments, and gifts will be featured at the special holiday meeting of South Bay Educational Office Employees Association Thursday, Dec. 6, at 7:30 p.m. at Washington School in Redondo Beach.

Miss Helen Cole will present a demonstration on festive gift wrapping and Mrs. Dorothy Kimport will show how to make simple ornaments. Christmas music will be offered by a choral group from North High School of Torrance. All educational office employees of the South Bay area are invited to attend. Mrs. David Baggett, president, said.

YOUR PROBLEMS

by Ann Landers

'Marriage Is Not for Kids . . .'

Dear Ann Landers: The letter from "Over 70" referring to the tragedy of young unwed mothers caught my eye. I would like to comment on the tragedy of the very young WED mother.

During my recent confinement my husband shared the waiting room with four other expectant fathers. Three were 18 years old. The fourth was 20. They were still in high school.

The girl who shared the labor room with me was 17. She was terrified and calling for her mother. How pathetic that these youngsters must face adult experiences totally unprepared. They have no resources to draw on. Some of them are not even full grown physically. Emotionally they are children. Financially they are doomed to be members of the low income group because of limited education and no skills.

These kids, at 22, have been through the mill. Often they are bitter, disillusioned and fed up with the struggle. Although some young couples can boast of a successful marriage they are the lucky ones. The unsuccessful and the unlucky are without number.—OKLAHOMA MOTHER

Dear Mother: I've said it before and I'll say it again—marriage is not for kids.

Middle age is rough enough when it comes at 50, but when it comes at 25 it is indeed a tragedy.

Dear Ann Landers: Last year we loaned some money to our close friends. They were in a tight spot and we didn't have the heart to say no.

We are not wealthy people, but we live conservatively and manage to set aside a little out of every pay check. These people promised to pay us back at the rate of \$25 a month. We would not accept any interest.

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CHRISTMAS CHARITY . . . A check derived from a square dance class sponsored by the drama section of the Torrance Women's club, and instructed by Myrna Cheek, is being donated to a Christmas Fund for the Navajo Indians at Red Lake, Tonalea, Arizona. Accepting the check for the Torrance YMCA is Joe Wilcox, left. Presenting the check are, center, Mrs. James Laird, drama section chairman, and Mrs. L. G. Pulliam, ways and means chairman of the Torrance Woman's club.



MR. & MRS. G. W. BROWN . . . Honored by Children (Carrington Photo)